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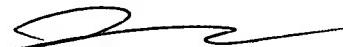
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- 2. An English language Abstract of the non-English language reference 2 is attached hereto.
- 3. A computer-generated English language translation of the following Japanese reference has been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office ([\[http://www.jpo.go.jp\]](http://www.jpo.go.jp)), and is attached, but has not been reviewed for accuracy. See Reference 1.

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